

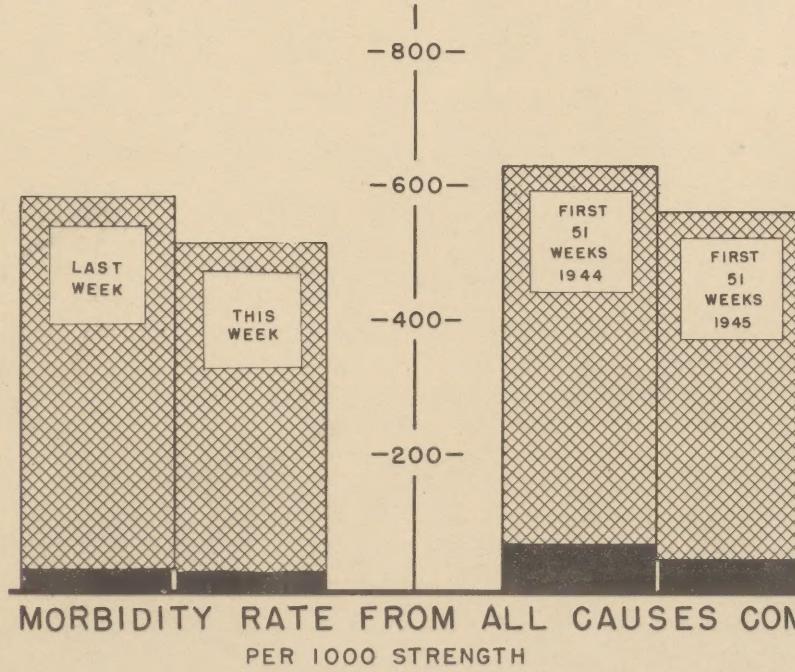


# WEEKLY HEALTH REPORT

## CURRENT MORBIDITY DATA FOR THE ARMY IN THE CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES

WEEK ENDING 21 DECEMBER 1945

SPECIAL SECTION  
ON  
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# WEEKLY HEALTH REPORT

## NATURE OF THE DATA

The data presented here are taken from the Statistical Health Reports, WD AGO 8-122, rendered weekly to the Office of The Surgeon General by every hospital and separate dispensary in the continental United States. Troops in transit and certain small detachments are not required to submit reports; for this and other reasons, total strength of reporting units has been consistently about 1 percent below the actual strength of the Army in this country. The mean strength shown for individual stations is that of Army personnel attached or assigned for medical care and does not include organizations not on the post but dependent on the station for hospitalization.

Because of the desirability of placing the information in circulation at the earliest possible time following its receipt, figures are in general shown herein as reported. Where there is some doubt as to the accuracy of the reported figures, their verification is requested, and the fact that they have been so questioned is indicated by the symbol (!).

### MORBIDITY DATA

Admissions are reported only for cases admitted to a medical installation (either to hospital or quarters) and not returned to duty within the same day, except for certain cases carded for record only (chiefly venereal disease cases treated on duty status, and deaths which occurred before admission to hospital or quarters). Admissions designated as "injury" comprise all "new" traumatisms (i.e., morbid conditions due to external causes, including poisons taken internally, results of exposure to heat, cold and light, as well as various types of wounds not due to enemy action) other than battle casualties. Under present conditions there would not be any direct admissions in the continental United States properly classifiable as battle casualties. All cases other than those of injury or battle casualty are classified as "disease."

Admission rates are shown for all causes combined, for all diseases combined, for injuries and for a few specific diseases. These rates are presented on an annual basis to facilitate comparisons with corresponding rates in annual and monthly reports. Such annual rates of admission indicate the number of admissions per thousand mean strength which would occur over a year's time if the current week's experience continued for a year.

The report also shows the number of cases of the more common communicable and certain other diseases of special interest. It may be noted that under the term infectious hepatitis are included cases reported as jaundice and cholangitis. Appended is a list of cases reported for the rarer communicable and certain other diseases.

The average proportion of the daily strength of the command which is confined to hospital or quarters (mean number of non-effectives per thousand strength) is given in the summary table for the total United States and for each of the Service Commands. More significant is the estimated non-effective rate for personnel stationed in the United States shown in the chart on page 7.

The number of enlisted men discharged during the week on Certificates of Disability for Discharge (CDD) are shown for individual stations. These data should be distinguished from the figures for "honorable discharges for physical and mental disqualification" assembled by The Adjutant General's Office; the latter include discharges for inaptness in addition to CDD's and are tabulated on a somewhat different basis (e.g., the April data represent April discharges processed by the AGO during April and May plus discharges prior to April which were processed in May).

In making comparisons between Service Commands it should be borne in mind that morbidity rates naturally tend to be higher in those Service Commands which have a relatively large number of General Hospitals and Ports of Embarkation. The presence of sizeable numbers of troops not under the jurisdiction of a Service Command (e.g. casualties, task force troops, etc.) affects the interpretation of the data from the viewpoint of Command responsibility.

### MORTALITY DATA

Recent studies indicate that the reporting of deaths on WD AGO 8-122 is incomplete, especially in the case of deaths from injury. The resulting understatement in the mortality rate from injury may be as much as 10 percent and occasionally even more, but the death rate from disease is not materially understated. Therefore in computing mortality rates from injury and from all causes on the basis of the corresponding numbers of deaths, as shown in this report, an appropriate adjustment for the underreporting of such deaths must be made.

### STATIONS WITH HIGHEST MORBIDITY RATES

Included in the report is a table listing the stations (having strength of 5000 or over) with the highest morbidity rates from all causes, from all diseases combined, from injuries, and from a few specific diseases. Not infrequently, the excessively high rates of admission for all causes and for all diseases combined reported from reception centers reflect a large number of venereal disease cases among newly inducted men. Therefore, more significant of high morbidity from disease are the rates of admission for disease excluding venereal infections existing prior to induction, which rates are also shown in the table. It should also be noted that reception, redistribution, and separation centers frequently report relatively large numbers of admissions arising from routine physical examinations of large bodies of troops.

### EXPLANATORY MATTER

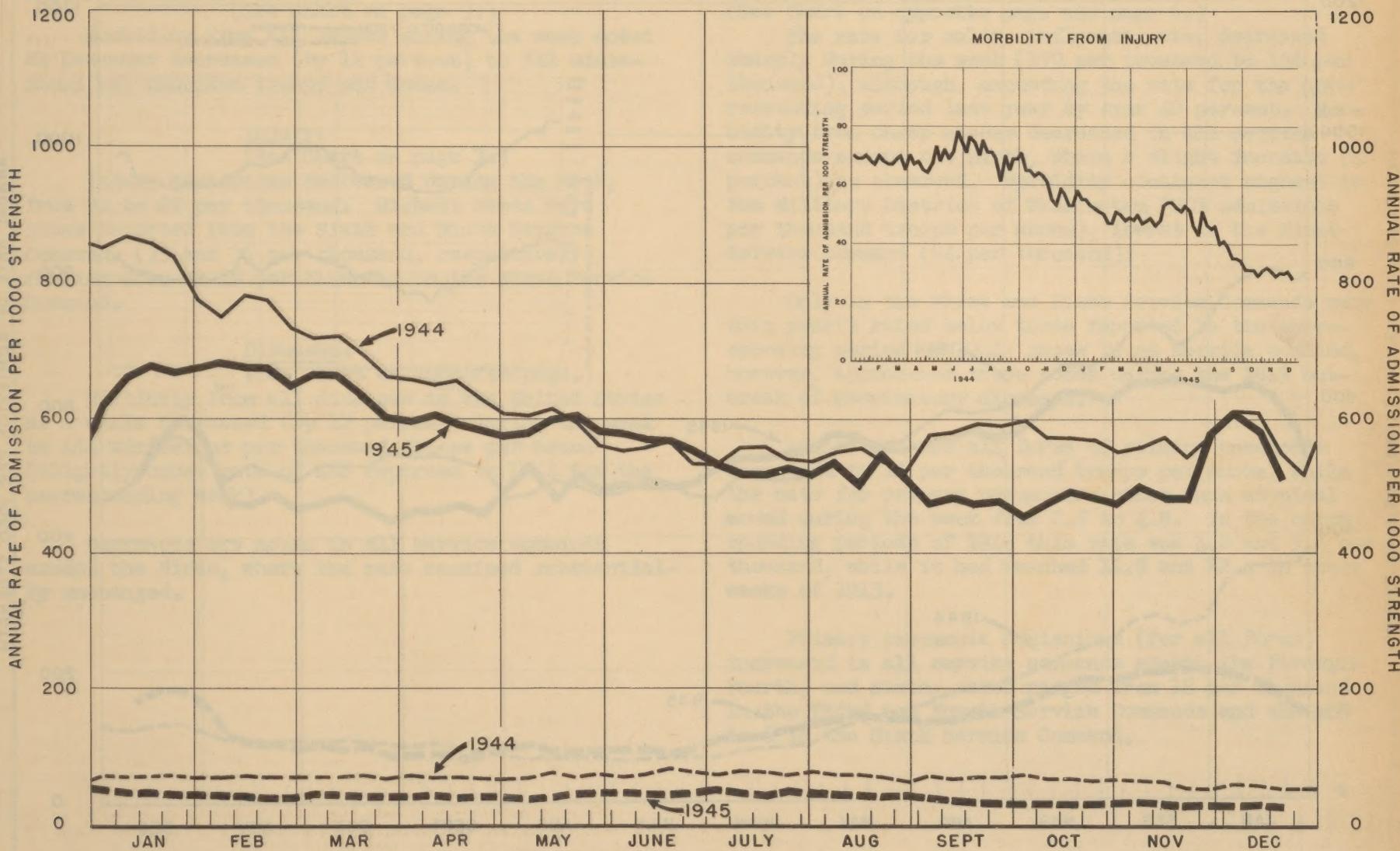
In reading the detail tables, it should be born in mind that admission rates based on small numbers of cases are not reliable. For this reason the symbol (?) is placed after admission rates computed on the basis of 5 or fewer cases.

Where the current week's data for a particular station have not been received, the latest available figures are substituted therefor and the symbol (#) is placed after the name of the station.

# MORBIDITY FROM ALL CAUSES

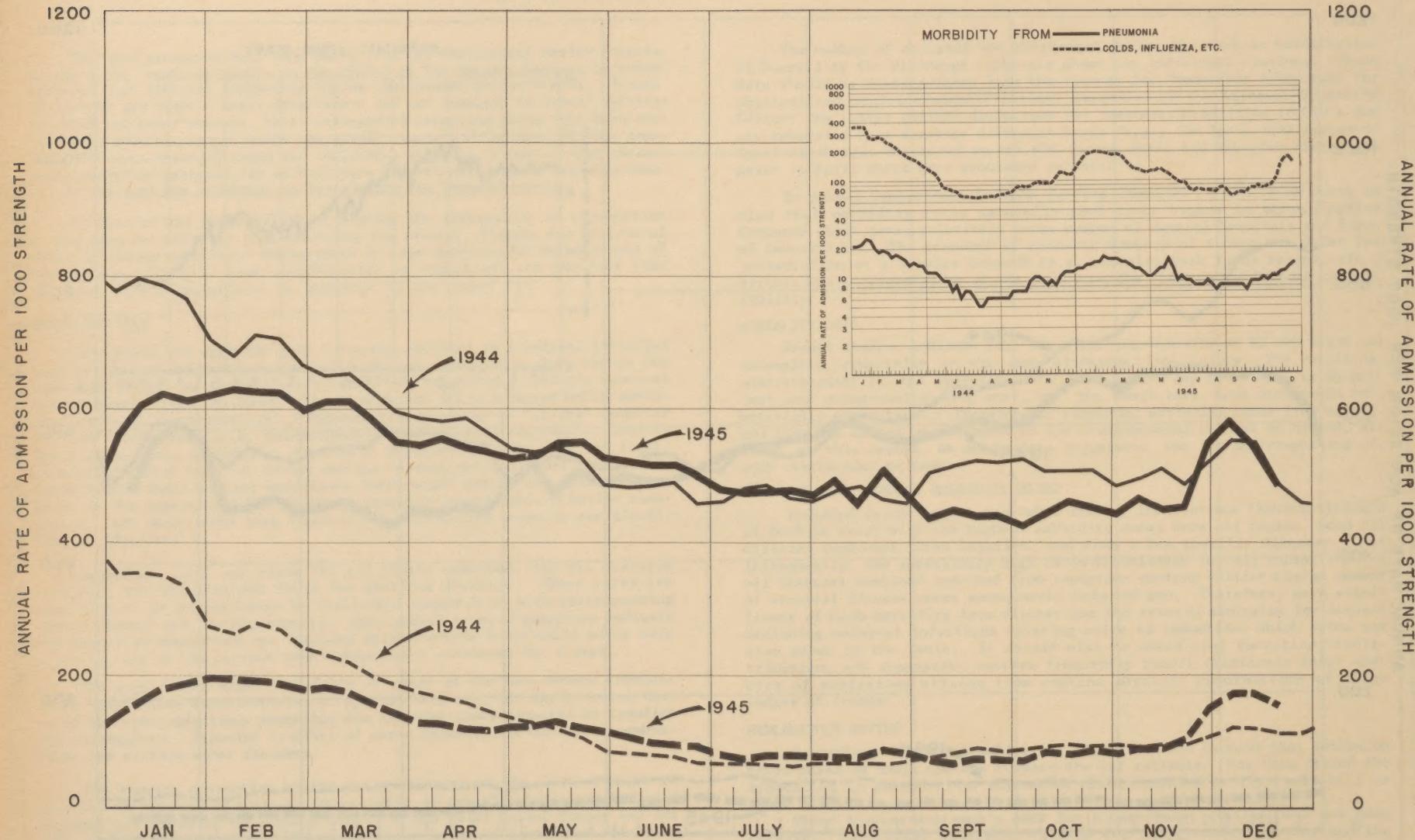
## INJURY ONLY

CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES



# MORBIDITY FROM DISEASE ONLY ===== COLDS, INFLUENZA, ETC.

## CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES



## COMMENT ON CURRENT TRENDS

MORBIDITY FROM: All Causes:

(See Chart on page 3.)

Morbidity from all causes during the week ended 21 December decreased (by 12 percent) to 512 admissions per thousand troops per annum.

Injury:

(See Chart on page 3.)

Injury admissions decreased during the week, from 31 to 28 per thousand. Highest rates were those reported from the Sixth and Ninth Service Commands (33 and 36 per thousand, respectively), ranging down to 19 per thousand in the First Service Command.

Diseases:

(See Chart on opposite page.)

Morbidity from all diseases in the United States as a whole decreased (by 12 percent) during the week to 484 admissions per thousand troops per annum (slightly under rate of 488 reported in 1944 for the corresponding week).

Decreases are noted in all service commands except the Ninth, where the rate remained substantially unchanged.

Respiratory Diseases:

(See Chart on opposite page and page 6.)

The rate for colds, influenza, etc., decreased sharply during the week (170 per thousand to 156 per thousand), although, exceeding the rate for the corresponding period last year by over 40 percent. Morbidity from these causes decreased in all service commands except the Ninth, where a slight increase (4 percent) is observed. Morbidity continued highest in the Military District of Washington (307 admissions per thousand troops per annum), lowest in the First Service Command (94 per thousand).

Only in the First and Sixth Service Commands were this year's rates below those reported in the corresponding period of 1944; rates in no service command, however, approached those noted during the 1943 outbreak of respiratory diseases.

Admissions for all forms of primary pneumonia increased to 14 per thousand troops per annum, while the rate for primary pneumonias other than atypical moved during the week from 2.9 to 4.8. In the corresponding periods of 1944 this rate was 4.2 and 3.4 per thousand, while it had reached 11.9 and 12.4 in these weeks of 1943.

Primary pneumonia admissions (for all forms) increased in all service commands except the First, Fourth, and Sixth; rates ranged from 18 per thousand in the Third and Fourth Service Commands and the MDW to 6 in the Sixth Service Command.

## MORBIDITY FROM

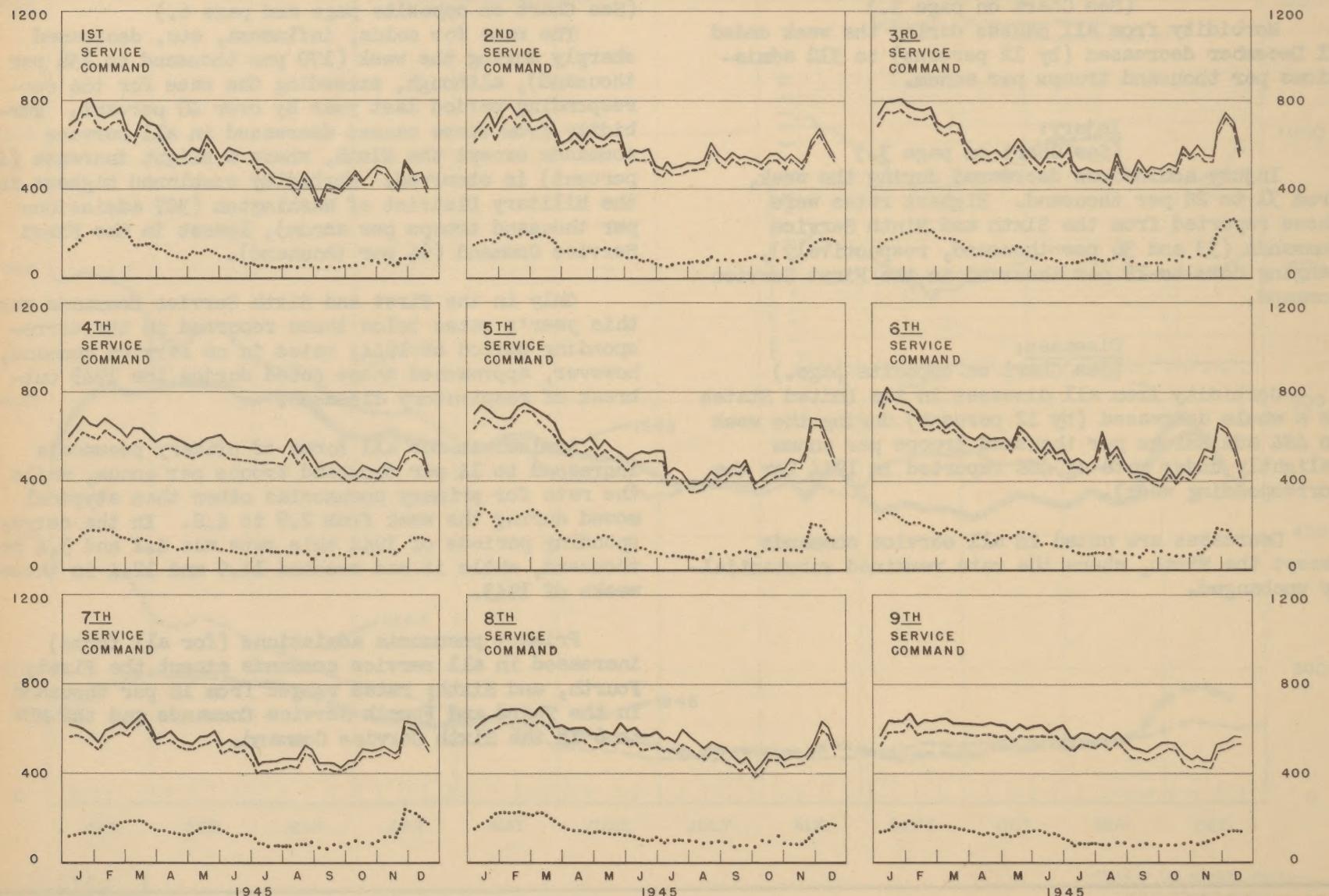
## ALL CAUSES

— DISEASE ONLY

## • COLDS, INFLUENZA, ETC.

## VARIATIONS BY SERVICE COMMAND

CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES



## COMMENT ON CURRENT TRENDS (CONT.)

Venereal Diseases:

New admissions for non-EPTS venereal diseases decreased during the week from 56 to 50 per thousand troops. The rate increased only in the First Service Command (28 to 30 per thousand); morbidity incidence ranged from 79 new admissions per thousand troops in the Third Service Command to 25 per thousand in the Military District of Washington.

Other Communicable Diseases:

Morbidity incidence of diarrhea remained at 4 admissions per thousand troops per annum; no rates above 5 per thousand were reported.

NONEFFECTIVE RATE:

(See Chart on page 8.)

The noneffective rate for personnel stationed in the continental United States is estimated at 35.9 per thousand troops per day for the week ended 21 December as compared with 33.7 per thousand for the corresponding week of 1944.

PATIENTS REMAINING UNDER TREATMENT: 21 DECEMBER 1945:  
(See Chart on page 8.)

The number of patients remaining in hospital in the Zone of Interior, including patients transferred from overseas, decreased during the week to 157,985 as compared with 171,654 at the end of the previous week.

The number of neuropsychiatric cases remaining was 11,277 or about 1300 fewer than at the end of the previous week. Non-battle injury patients remaining numbered about 27,841. The number of battle casualty patients remaining decreased by about 2500 to 42,953.

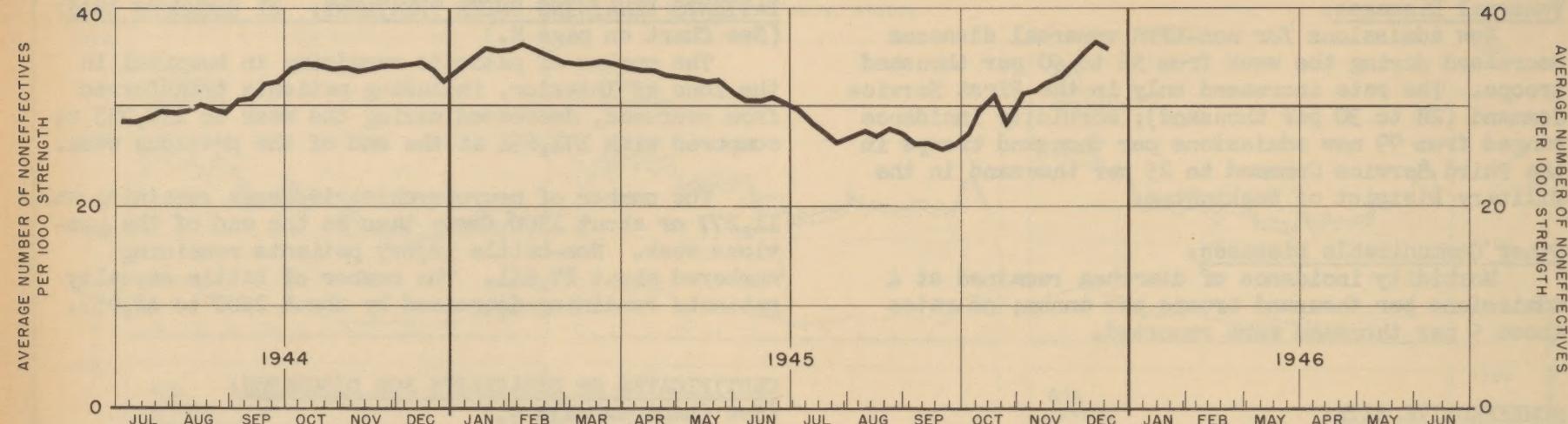
CERTIFICATES OF DISABILITY FOR DISCHARGE:

(See Chart on page 9.)

In the week ended 21 December there were 7089 enlisted personnel discharged by CDD (700 more than in the previous week). Fifty-nine percent of these discharges were reported by general hospitals and 20 percent by convalescent hospitals. Among these CDD's were 1228 neuropsychiatric cases, about 170 more than in the previous week.

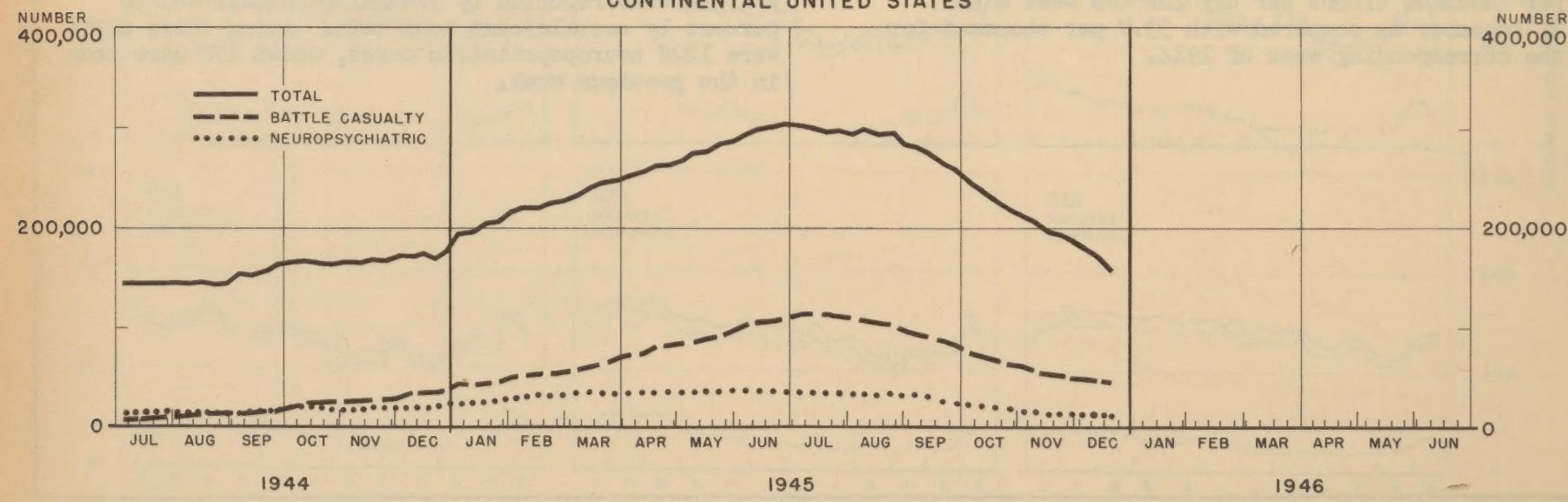
# NONEFFECTIVE RATE

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# PATIENTS REMAINING IN HOSPITAL

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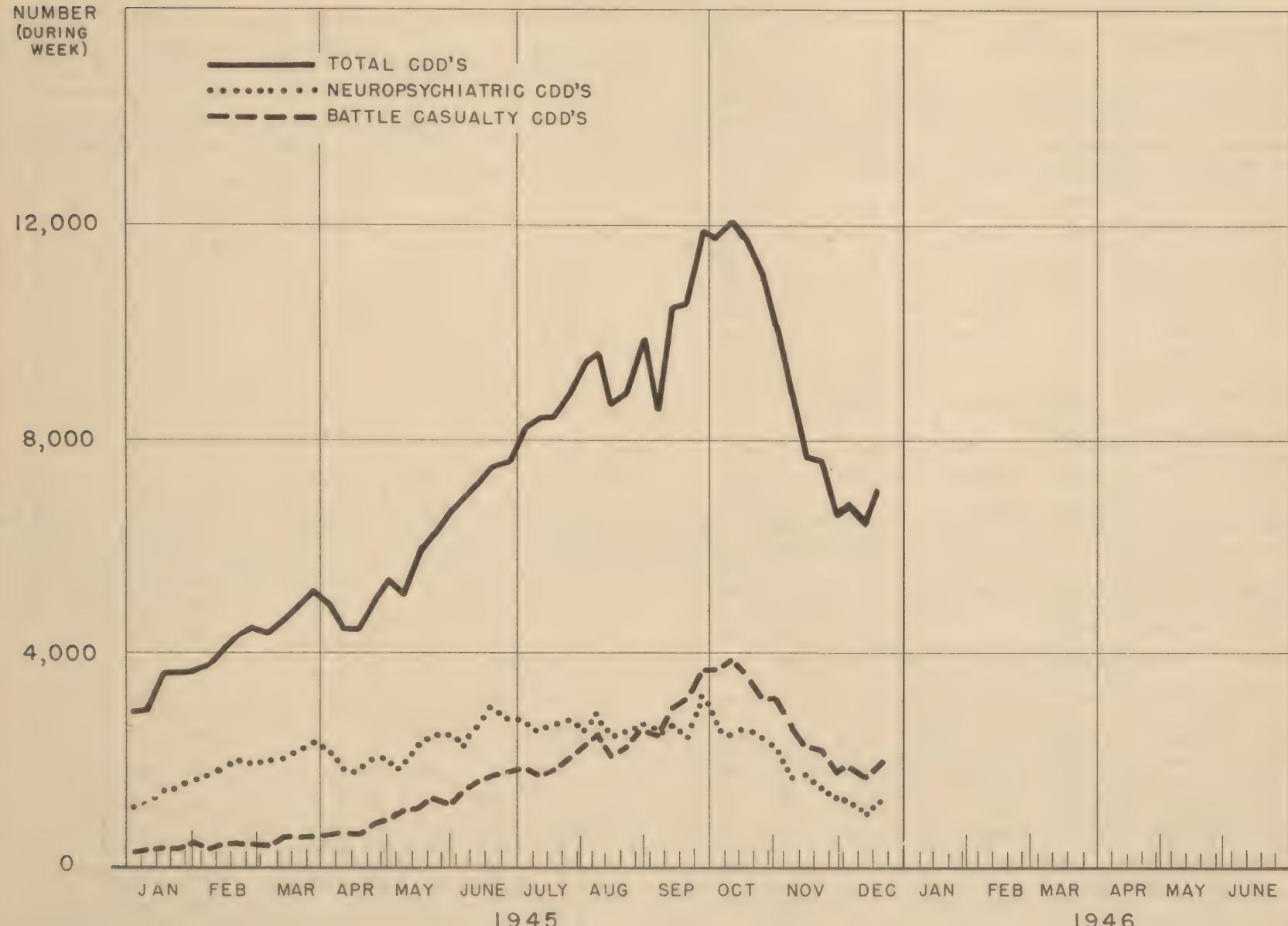


# CERTIFICATES OF DISABILITY FOR DISCHARGE

CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES

NUMBER  
(DURING  
WEEK)

NUMBER  
(DURING  
WEEK)



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SUMMARY FOR TOTAL UNITED STATES  
AND THE SERVICE COMMANDS

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SERVICE COMMAND	MEAN STRENGTH	ADMISSIONS														MEAN NUMBER OF NONEFFECTIVES PER 1000 STRENGTH		
		ANNUAL RATE PER 1000 STRENGTH						ANNUAL CASE RATE PER 1000 STRENGTH										
		ALL CAUSES		DISEASE		INJURY		COLDS, INFLU- ENZA, ETC.*		PNEUMONIA (INCL. ATYPICAL)		DIARRHEA AND DYSENTERY		VENEREAL (EXCL. EPTI)				
CURRENT WEEK COMPARED WITH PREVIOUS WEEK																		
	Current week	Previous week	Current week	Previous week	Current week	Previous week	Current week	Previous week	Current week	Previous week	Current week	Previous week	Current week	Previous week	Current week	Previous week	Current week	Previous week
TOTAL UNITED STATES	2128557	2190786	512	581	484	550	28	31	156	170	14	13	4	4	50	56	36	37
FIRST SERVICE COMMAND	85684	94120	404	464	382	451	22	13	94	114	7	10	4	5	30	28	41	41
SECOND SERVICE COMMAND	187109	180516	544	606	525	581	19	25	167	179	16	9	4	3	48	48	35	39
THIRD SERVICE COMMAND	174861	187767	577	701	551	671	26	30	203	268	18	12	2	2	79	92	42	41
MIL. DIST. OF WASHINGTON	49089	51887	660	736	640	712	20	24	307	356	18	5?	10	5?	25	28	41	42
FOURTH SERVICE COMMAND	433126	455865	446	528	420	496	26	32	136	143	18	18	4	3	65	69	31	31
FIFTH SERVICE COMMAND	144792	152658	502	574	476	545	26	29	135	142	11	6	2?	2?	57	58	39	39
SIXTH SERVICE COMMAND	132373	136115	447	562	414	536	33	26	116	139	6	13	2?	3	32	48	36	37
SEVENTH SERVICE COMMAND	186308	202734	521	567	495	549	26	18	179	197	12	10	3	4	45	48	33	33
EIGHTH SERVICE COMMAND	340977	357005	517	609	486	573	31	36	168	175	14	15	4	5	45	60	40	38
NINTH SERVICE COMMAND	394238	372119	563	566	527	526	36	40	146	141	12	11	4	5	38	38	34	38
CURRENT YEAR TO DATE COMPARED WITH CORRESPONDING PERIOD PREVIOUS YEAR																		
	Current Year	Previous Year	Current Year	Previous Year	Current Year	Previous Year	Current Year	Previous Year	Current Year	Previous Year	Current Year	Previous Year	Current Year	Previous Year	Current Year	Previous Year	Current Year	Previous Year
TOTAL UNITED STATES	2980198	4029499	563	632	519	565	44	67	116	147	11	12	6	9	49	33	84	41
FIRST SERVICE COMMAND	92104	106775	537	622	504	564	33	58	95	158	6	10	7	8	43	36	146	43
SECOND SERVICE COMMAND	200120	213701	596	730	561	671	35	59	110	191	9	11	6	9	48	44	114	51
THIRD SERVICE COMMAND	200245	255949	586	694	552	634	34	60	120	178	10	14	5	7	67	37	102	45
MIL. DIST. OF WASHINGTON	54364	60697	589	666	555	623	34	43	148	161	10	16	6	4	25	16	73	70
FOURTH SERVICE COMMAND	691292	1079315	560	622	508	549	52	73	103	125	12	11	7	11	56	33	72	36
FIFTH SERVICE COMMAND	162042	185374	533	650	495	584	38	66	123	156	11	12	7	12	56	47	151	65
SIXTH SERVICE COMMAND	140593	160344	546	686	516	630	30	56	116	194	11	20	4	4	49	38	119	48
SEVENTH SERVICE COMMAND	287354	381419	528	681	492	618	36	63	119	198	8	18	4	8	50	31	81	41
EIGHTH SERVICE COMMAND	648036	929244	570	579	520	507	50	72	132	123	14	10	7	9	44	32	62	34
NINTH SERVICE COMMAND	504048	656681	574	521	527	551	47	70	113	146	7	8	6	7	40	28	71	41

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\*Includes Acute Bronchitis, Acute Rhinitis, Coryza, Acute Tonsillitis, Acute Pharyngitis, Acute Nasopharyngitis, Acute Laryngitis, and Influenza.

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## SUMMARY FOR TOTAL UNITED STATES AND THE SERVICE COMMANDS

SERVICE COMMAND	MEAN STRENGTH*	ADMISSIONS NUMBER OF CASES												NUMBER OF DEATHS			NUMBER OF DISPOSITIONS BY GDD	
		MEASLES	MUMPS	SCARLET FEVER	M'COCCIC MENINGITIS	RHEUMATIC FEVER	ATYPICAL PNEUMONIA	INFECTIOUS HEPATITIS	MALARIA ACQUIRED		TUBERCULOSIS	STREPTO- COCCAL SORE THROAT	SCABIES	ALL CAUSES	DISEASE	INJURY	BATTLE CASUALTY	
CURRENT WEEK																		
TOTAL UNITED STATES	2128557	92	68	35	13	28	367	108	3	323	156	73	477	69	38	27	4	7089
FIRST SERVICE COMMAND	85684		1		1		6	1		6	9	1	8	1	1			547
SECOND SERVICE COMMAND	187109	1	4	3		6	38	22	1	33	2	6	34	6	4	2		824
THIRD SERVICE COMMAND	174861	19	8	1	1	1	23	2		11	27	6	40	3	3			652
MIL. DIST. OF WASHINGTON	49089		1	3	1	1	7	2		5	1		1	3	3			131
FOURTH SERVICE COMMAND	433126	1	5	6	5	1	130	11		29	15		51	15	4	11		1274
FIFTH SERVICE COMMAND	144792		1	2		2	18	7		25	9	6	39	9	3	5	1	576
SIXTH SERVICE COMMAND	132373	1	5	4		1	10	12		30	20	2	103	4	3		1	536
SEVENTH SERVICE COMMAND	186308	29	4		2	1	25	14	2	32	22	38	27	7	5	2		721
EIGHTH SERVICE COMMAND	340977	11	29	9	2	0	57	15		34	30	7	61	12	7	3	2	1020
NINTH SERVICE COMMAND	394238	30	10	7	1	6	53	22		118	21	7	113	9	5	4		808
PREVIOUS WEEK																		
TOTAL UNITED STATES	2190786	46	84	25	14	26	408	169		349	188	78	463	74	34	37	3	6377
FIRST SERVICE COMMAND	94120		1		1	1	11	12		11	6	3	13	2	1	1		517
SECOND SERVICE COMMAND	180516		2			2	25	16		52	8	2	24	8	6	1	1	708
THIRD SERVICE COMMAND	187767	3	9	5	1		33	13		27	14	8	49	4	3	1		661
MIL. DIST. OF WASHINGTON	51887		3				3	1		4	4		2	2	2	2		102
FOURTH SERVICE COMMAND	455865	8	13		6		143	17		35	24	1	49	10	6	4		1075
FIFTH SERVICE COMMAND	152658		2	2	2	4	14	13		31	11	1	39	6	2	4		517
SIXTH SERVICE COMMAND	136115	1	7	2		4	24	29		34	17	1	115	5	5			571
SEVENTH SERVICE COMMAND	202734	9	6	7			26	10		33	17	43	42	7	4	1	2	816
EIGHTH SERVICE COMMAND	357005	5	25	7	3	10	75	23		44	52	9	46	8	2	6		721
NINTH SERVICE COMMAND	372119	20	16	2	1	5	54	35		78	35	10	84	22	3	19		689

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SERVICE COMMAND AND STATION	MEAN STRENGTH **	ADMISSIONS													NUMBER OF DEATHS			NUMBER OF DISPOSITIONS BY CDD	
		ANNUAL RATE PER 1000 STRENGTH			ANNUAL CASE RATE PER 1000 STRENGTH				NUMBER OF CASES										
		ALL CAUSES	DISEASE	INJURY	COLDS, INFLUENZA, ETC.,	PNEUMONIA (INCLUDING ATYPICAL)	DIARRHEA AND DYSENTERY	VENereal* (EXCLUDING EPIS)	MEASLES	MUMPS	SCARLET FEVER	M'COCCIC MENINGITIS	RHEUMATIC FEVER	ATYPICAL PNEUMONIA	INFECTIOUS HEPATITIS	ALL CAUSES	DISEASE	INJURY	
FIRST SERVICE COMMAND	85684	404	382	22	94	7	4	30	1	1	1	6	1	1	1	1	1	547	
Boston PoE, Mass.	17289	445	430	15?	75	3?		66										2	
Devens, Ft., Mass.	33102	330	308	22	60	5?	3?	62										3	
Westover Field, Mass. (RH)	5326	430	391	39?	68	10?		20?										2	
TOTAL: ALL STATIONS UNDER 5000 STR. & MISC. UNITS	29967	459	436	23	148	12	9?	38	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	543	
SECOND SERVICE COMMAND	187109	544	525	19	167	16	4	48	1	4	3	6	38	22	6	4	2	824	
Dix, Ft., N. J.	57922	467	464	3?	83	7	3?	22		1		8	1					5	
Hancock, Ft., N. J.	6688	909	886	23?	459	47		70				4							
Kilmer, Cp., N. J.	24269	411	392	19	45	11?		137				6	3	11				3	
Mitchell Field, N. Y. (RH)	8184	420	401	19?	121	25?		38				2	3					17	
Monmouth, Ft., N. J. (RH)	14155	429	422	7?	110	4?		33				1		1	1	1	1	40	
Shanks, Cp., N. Y.	13471	679	660	19?	336	35	127		3	2		5	1					2	
TOTAL: ALL STATIONS UNDER 5000 STR. & MISC. UNITS	62420	642	606	36	242	19	11	22	1	1		15	6	5	3	2	757		

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		ALL CAUSES	DISEASE	INJURY	COLDS, INFLUENZA, ETC.,	PNEUMONIA (INCLUDING ATYPICAL)	DIARRHEA AND DYSENTERY*	VENEREAL (EXCLUDING EPTS)	MEASLES	MUMPS	SCARLET FEVER	M'GOCCIC MENINGITIS	RHEUMATIC FEVER	ATYPICAL PNEUMONIA	INFECTIOUS HEPATITIS	ALL CAUSES	DISEASE	INJURY						
THIRD SERVICE COMMAND	174861	577	551	26	203	18	2	79	19	8	1	1	1	23	2	3	3		652					
Aberdeen Prov. Grd., Md.	11972	929	899	30	508	13?		35	4	4				3		1	1		3					
Geo. G. Meade, Ft., Md.	29020	692	690	2?	197	30	2?	122						10	1				23					
Indiantown Gap, Pa.	36186	359	336	23	65	1?		40						1					30					
Lee, Cpt., Va. (RH)	25128	516	499	17	201	37		79	11	2									40					
Patrick Henry, Cpt., Va. (RH)	12574	389	368	21?	112	8?		120	1					2					7					
Pickett, Cpt., Va.	13299	629	594	35	227	20?	4?	110	1		1			2					29					
TOTAL: ALL STATIONS UNDER 5000 STR. & MISC. UNITS	46682	654	608	46	255	16	4?	74	2	2		1	1	5	1	2	2		520					
MILITARY DISTRICT OF WASH.	49089	660	640	20	307	18	10	25		1	3	1	1	7	2	3	3		131					
Belvoir, Ft., Va. (RH)	16256	615	605	10?	339	48		29		1	3	1	1	6					13					
Myer, Ft., Va.	6822	709	671	38?	328			38?						1					4					
Washington Gen. Disp., D. C.	9042	707	690	17?	535		17?	6?																
TOTAL: ALL STATIONS UNDER 5000 STR. & MISC. UNITS	16969	659	634	25	147	6?	18	28						1	1	3	3		114					

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Benning, Ft., Ga. (RH)	25322	389	368	21	97	23		66			2			11	2				22	
Blanding, Cp., Fla. (RH)	16203	417	382	35	100	10?	10?	29						3					7	
Boca Raton Field, Fla. #	5988	330	313	17?	43	17?	26?	9?						1					9	
Bragg, Ft., N. C. (RH)	62129	371	357	14	131	14		44	1	3				16	2				40	
Butner, Cp., N. C. (Excl. Gen. & Conv. Hosp.)	12223	400	387	13?	119			21?							1					
Croft, Cp., S. C.	5334	849	693	156	234	78	49?	78						5	1				4	
Drew Field, Fla. (RH)	5597	158	158		56	37?		46?						4					3	
Gordon, Cp., Ga.	9147	717	711	6?	97			74	1										12	
Greensboro AAFORD, N. C.	37844	209	201	8	100	1?		15	1										10	
Jackson, Ft., S. C. (RH)	27191	311	298	13	13			109											10	
Keesler Field, Miss. (RH)	27733	509	473	36	249	19	2?	11		1	1			8	1	6	6	13		
McClellan, Ft., Ala.	31750	881	853	28	383	103	8?	87	2	4				58	1	1	1	37		
MacDill Field, Fla.	5364	417	359	58	19?	10?	19?	204						1	1	3	3	1		
Maxwell Field, Ala.	7506	700	631	69	14?			49										10		
McPherson, Ft., Ga.	21789	594	570	24	210	14		141						6				7		
Oglethorpe, Ft., Ga.	5803	655	610	45?	269	45?	9?	215						1				48		
Orlando AAFTC, Fla. (RH)	5142	314	233	81	61	10?		20?						1				4		
Shelby, Cp., Miss.	16096	850	840	10?	236	23	16?	204						7	3			21		
<b>TOTAL: ALL STATIONS UNDER 5000 STR. &amp; MISC. UNITS</b>	<b>104965</b>	<b>349</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>1</b>					<b>8</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1016</b>		

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		ANNUAL RATE PER 1000 STRENGTH			ANNUAL CASE RATE PER 1000 STRENGTH			NUMBER OF CASES										
		ALL CAUSES	DISEASE	INJURY	COLDS, INFLUENZA, ETC.,	PNEUMONIA (INCLUDING ATYPICAL)	DIARRHEA AND DYSENTERY	VENERAL* (EXCLUDING EPIS)	MEASLES	MUMPS	SCARLET FEVER	M'COGGIC MENINGITIS	RHEUMATIC FEVER	ATYPICAL PNEUMONIA	INFECTIOUS HEPATITIS	ALL CAUSES	DISEASE	INJURY
FIFTH SERVICE COMMAND	144792	502	476	26	135	11	2?	57	1	2		2	18	7	9	3	5	576
Atterbury, Cp., Ind.	37169	455	448	7?	59	6?	1?	48				2		2				
Campbell, Cp., Ky.	21137	279	249	30	25	25	5?	66					10	1	3		3	12
Knox, Ft., Ky. (RH)	30618	814	780	34	277	19	3?	61	1	1		3	2	1	1			20
Patterson Field, Ohio	6418	527	478	49	138			24?		1								12
Wright Field, Ohio	9001	318	272	46	127			35										
TOTAL: STATIONS UNDER 5000 STR. & MISC. UNITS	40449	464	437	27	158	9		69					5	2	5	2	2	532
SIXTH SERVICE COMMAND	132373	447	414	33	116	6	2?	32	1	5	4	1	10	12	4	3		536
Chanute Field, Ill. (RH)	14588	339	310	29	125			11?										2
Grant, Cp., Ill.	12979	1311	1295	16?	144	4?		40	1			1	4					17
McCoy, Cp., Wis.	15309	377	353	24	65			27										9
Scott Field, Ill. (RH)	11977	339	291	48	100		17?	22?	2									14
Sheridan, Ft., Ill. (RH)	37295	320	289	31	42	10		33	1	3		3	5					27
TOTAL: ALL STATIONS UNDER 5000 STR. & MISC. UNITS	40225	388	345	43	197	10	1?	40	1	1	1	1	6	3	4	3		467

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SEVENTH SERVICE COMMAND	186308	521	495	26	179	12	3	45	29	4	2	1	25	14	7	5	2	721	
Buckley Field, Colo.	6839	335	327	8?	152	15?			3	1	1	1	1					31	
Crowder, Cp., Mo. (RH)	25024	576	553	23	351	29	2?	23			1	11	2	1	1			35	
Jefferson Bks., Mo.	13431	585	531	54	85	31	19?	81			1	1	7					9	
Kearney AAF, Nebr.	5700	128	128		55														
Leavenworth, Ft., Kans.	18289	566	557	9?	139	11?		63			4	4						5	
Leonard Wood, Ft., Mo. (RH)	10511	1351	1316	35	589			69		1								46	
Logan, Ft., Colo.	6237	600	575	25?	75	58		58		1								10	
Lowry Field, Colo.	11047	447	438	9?	231	5?	9?	33			1							5	
Riley, Ft., Kans. (RH)	11776	592	543	49	190	9?		31			1							16	
Smoky Hill AAF, Kans.	5857	178	169	9?	124			18?											
Snelling, Ft., Minn.	8752	380	380		89			36	23	1								6	
TOTAL: ALL STATIONS UNDER 5000 STR. & MISC. UNITS	62845	433	401	32	105	5	3?	52	3		1	6	1	6	5	1		558	

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		ANNUAL RATE PER 1000 STRENGTH			ANNUAL CASE RATE PER 1000 STRENGTH			NUMBER OF CASES													
		ALL CAUSES	DISEASE	INJURY	COLDS, INFLUENZA, ETC.,	PNEUMONIA (INCLUDING ATYPICAL)	DIARRHEA AND DYSENTERY	VENEREAL* (EXCLUDING EFTS)	MEASLES	MUMPS	SCARLET FEVER	M'GOCCIC MENINGITIS	RHEUMATIC FEVER	ATYPICAL PNEUMONIA	INFECTIOUS HEPATITIS	ALL CAUSES	DISEASE	INJURY			
EIGHTH SERVICE COMMAND	340977	517	486	31	168	14	4	45	11	29	9	2	9	57	15	12	7	3	1020		
Amarillo AAF, Texas (RH)	5697	438	374	64	164	27?	27?	46?			2		1	2					8		
Bliss, Ft., Texas	18947	453	450	3?	236	5?		25	1												
Bowie, Cp., Texas #	7197	448	434	14?	43	7?		7?											9		
Chaffee, Cp., Ark.	16856	383	383		114	25	6?	34											13		
Clovis, AAF, N. Mexico	5363	145	145		87	10?		18?													
Fannin, Cp., Texas	5358	1340	1291	49?	146	58		233											2		
Gruber, Cp., Okla.	5443	516	459	57	201	19?	19?	67											15		
Hood, Cp., Texas	14424	469	422	47	126	7?		25											11		
Jos. T. Robinson, Cp., Ark.	23014	873	789	84	484	29		25	1	11	1	1		11	3				89		
New Orleans, PoE, La.	16160	692	666	26	328	6?		138	1	1	1			1	2				4		
Randolph Field, Texas	9057	264	253	11?	17?														1		
Sam Houston, Ft., Texas	28934	586	573	13	29			14													
San Antonio AAF, Texas (RH) #	11545	401	401		81			63						5					27		
Sheppard Field, Texas (RH)	25771	756	716	40	222	12	22	22	2	9	1			6		1	1		17		
Sill, Ft., Okla.	18209	411	408	3?	189	11?		17	2	1			1		4				5		
Swift, Cp., Texas	19179	323	312	11?	70	11?		33						3	2				22		
<b>TOTAL: ALL STATIONS UNDER 5000 STR. &amp; MISC. UNITS</b>	<b>109823</b>	<b>450</b>	<b>409</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>797</b>			

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		ALL CAUSES	DISEASE	INJURY	COLDS, INFLUENZA, ETC.,	PNEUMONIA (INCLUDING ATYPICAL)	DIARRHEA AND DYSENTERY	VENereal* (EXCLUDING EPTS)	MEASLES	MUMPS	SCARLET FEVER	M'GOCIC MENINGITIS	RHEUMATIC FEVER	ATYPICAL PNEUMONIA	INFECTIOUS HEPATITIS	ALL CAUSES	DISEASE	INJURY	
NINTH SERVICE COMMAND	394238	563	527	36	146	12	4	38	30	10	7	1	6	53	22	9	5	4	808
Beale, Cp., Calif. #	31614	704	694	10	71	10	8?	82											27
Cooke, Cp., Calif.	14187	326	308	18?	169	44		22			1								6
Douglas, Ft., Utah	7491	1132	1076	56	160	7?		49					2	1	1				6
Hamilton Field, Calif. (RH)	11718	200	182	18?	49	4?		13?					1		1	1			8
John T. Knight, Cp., Calif.	7493	313	306	??	63			49											
Kearns AAFORD, Utah (RH)	9022	501	484	17?	254			150											6
Lawton, Ft., Wash.	21726	324	290	34	45	14		24	1	1				2	2				1
Lewis, Ft., Wash.	30994	507	492	15	275	2?	2?	39	1	5	1								
Los Angeles PoE, Calif.	19123	648	626	22	82	11?		41		1					1	1			1
MacArthur, Ft., Calif.	17288	689	680	9?	90	12?		27	1										2
March Field, Calif.	5153	303	273	30?	61				1										
Ord, Ft., Calif. (RH)	19521	514	503	11?	85	11?	3?	48	15	2				4	1				56
Pinedale, Cp., Calif.	8493	318	306	12?	153			12?											
Roberts, Cp., Calif.	19984	757	697	60	409	60	8?	8?	6	1			4	22					34
Stoneman, Cp., Calif.	30660	463	432	31	56	8?	2?	20	1					5					28
TOTAL: ALL STATIONS UNDER 5000 STR. & MISC. UNITS	139771	622	561	61	161	8	7	36	4		5	1	15	13	7	3	4	633	

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## LIST OF STATIONS WITH HIGHEST MORBIDITY RATES

STATIONS WITH STRENGTH OF 5000 OR OVER

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STATION	CURRENT WEEK	PREVIOUS WEEK	STATION	CURRENT WEEK	PREVIOUS WEEK	STATION	CURRENT WEEK	PREVIOUS WEEK
ALL CAUSES ANNUAL ADMISSION RATE PER 1000			DISEASE ANNUAL ADMISSION RATE PER 1000			INJURY ANNUAL ADMISSION RATE PER 1000		
Leonard Wood, Ft., Mo.	1351	1157	Leonard Wood, Ft., Mo.	1316	1148	Croft, Cp., S. C.	156	87
Fannin, Cp., Texas	1340	1340	Grant, Cp., Ill.	1295	1274	Jos. T. Robinson, Cp., Ark.	84	89
Grant, Cp., Ill.	1311	1289	Fannin, Cp., Texas	1291	1243	Orlando AAFTC, Fla.	81	82
Douglas, Ft., Utah (1) (2)	1132	917	Douglas, Ft., Utah. (1) (2)	1076	882	Maxwell Field, Ala.	69	18?
Aberdeen Prov. Grd., Md.	929	1751	Aberdeen Prov. Grd., Md.	899	1703	Amarillo AAF, Texas	64	60
Hancock, Ft., N. J.	909	828	Hancock, Ft., N. J.	886	812	Roberts, Cp., Calif.	60	87
McClellan, Ft., Ala.	881	851	McClellan, Ft., Ala.	853	794	MacDill Field, Fla.	58	78
COLDS, INFLUENZA, ETC.* ANNUAL ADMISSION RATE PER 1000			PNEUMONIA (INCLUDING ATYPICAL) ANNUAL ADMISSION RATE PER 1000			DIARRHEA AND DYSENTERY ANNUAL ADMISSION RATE PER 1000		
Leonard Wood, Ft., Mo.	589	332	McClellan, Ft., Ala.	103	84	Sheppard Field, Texas	22	33
Wash. Gen. Disp., D. C.	535	570	Croft, Cp., S. C.	78	71			
Aberdeen Prov. Grd., Md.	508	1199	Roberts, Cp., Calif.	60	41			
Jos. T. Robinson, Cp., Ark.	484	395	Logan, Ft., Colo.	58	15?			
Hancock, Ft., N. J.	459	474	Fannin, Cp., Texas	58	81			
Roberts, Cp., Calif.	409	291	Belvoir, Ft., Va.	48	6?	NO OTHER STATION WITH SIX OR MORE CASES		
McClellan, Ft., Ala.	383	301	Hancock, Ft., N. J.	47	NONE			
VENEREAL (EXCLUDING EPTI) ANNUAL ADMISSION RATE PER 1000			DISEASE EXCLUDING VENEREAL EPTS ANNUAL ADMISSION RATE PER 1000					
Fannin, Cp., Texas	233	244	Leonard Wood, Ft., Mo.	1306	1148	(1) Reception Center or Station See Nature of the Data		
Oglethorpe, Ft., Ga.	215	161	Grant, Cp., Ill.	1295	1274	(2) Separation Center See Nature of the Data		
Shelby, Cp., Miss.	204	271	Fannin, Cp., Texas	1291	1243	Note: When the current week's data for a station have not been received and the previous week's data are used instead, the rates for this station are not reported in this table if they were so shown in last week's report.		
MacDill Field, Fla.	204	117	Douglas, Ft., Utah (1) (2)	1076	882			
Kearns AAFORD, Utah	150	50	Aberdeen Prov. Grd., Md.	899	1075			
New Orleans PoE, La.	138	249	McClellan, Ft., Ala.	853	792			
Kilmer, Cp., N. J.	137	90	Shelby, Cp., Miss. (1) (2)	840	1068			

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\*Includes Acute Bronchitis, Acute Rhinitis, Coryza, Acute Tonsillitis, Acute Pharyngitis, Acute Nasopharyngitis, Acute Laryngitis, And Influenza

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LIST OF CASES OF DISEASES WHICH ARE OF SPECIAL INTEREST

LISTING LIMITED TO STATIONS REPORTING 10 OR MORE CASES		STREPTOCOCCAL SORE THROAT		M'COCCIC MENINGITIS AT GENERAL HOSPITALS AND STATIONS UNDER 5000 STRENGTH	
<u>POLIOMYELITIS (2)</u>		<u>DIPHTHERIA (4)</u>		<u>SCABIES (296)</u>	
1-Patterson Field, Ohio 1-Leavenworth, Ft., Kans.		1-Kilmer, Cp., N. J. 1-Grant, Cp., Ill. 1-Carson, Cp., Colo. (GH) 1-Torney GH, Calif.		*701-Dix, Ft., N. J. 20-Patrick Henry, Cp., Va. 28-Knox, Ft., Ky. (RH) 95-Grant, Cp., Ill. 52-MacArthur, Ft., Calif. *691 Out Patients treated- Dix, Ft., N. J. *880 Out Patients treated- Kilmer, Cp., N. J. 15 Out Patients treated- Hamilton, Ft., N. Y.	
<u>PARATYPHOID FEVER (2)</u>		<u>ANKYLOSTOMIASIS (5)</u>		<u>AMEBIC DYSENTERY (41)</u>	
1-Rhoads GH, N. Y. 1-Butner, Cp., N. C.		5-Vaughan GH, Ill.		1-Devens, Ft., Mass. 1-Waltham RH, Mass. 1-Westover Field, Mass. 5-Dix, Ft., N. J. 1-Indiantown Gap Mil. Res., Pa. 1-Atterbury, Cp., Ind. 1-Gardiner GH, Ill. 2-Sheridan, Ft., Ill. (RH) 6-Vaughan GH, Ill. (RH) 2-Carson, Cp., Colo. (GH) 1-Logan, Ft., Colo. 3-Fannin, Cp., Texas 1-Jos. T. Robinson, Cp., Ark. 1-Swift, Cp., Texas 4-Baker, Ft., Calif. 4-Douglas, Ft., Utah 3-Lawton, Ft., Wash. 1-Oakland, Calif. (RH) 1-Pasadena RH, Calif. 1-Stoneman, Cp., Calif.	
<u>STATIONS WHERE SULFONAMIDE PROPHYLAXIS OF RESPIRATORY DISEASE IS BEING EMPLOYED IN SOME OR ALL OF UNITS</u>		<u>DENGUE (1)</u>		<u>COCCIDIOIDOMYCOSIS (3)</u>	
NONE		1-Riley, Ft., Kans.		1-Winter Field, Calif. 1-Ord, Ft., Calif. 1-Williams Field, Ariz. 34-Buckley Field, Colo.	

STATIONS WHERE SULFONAMIDE  
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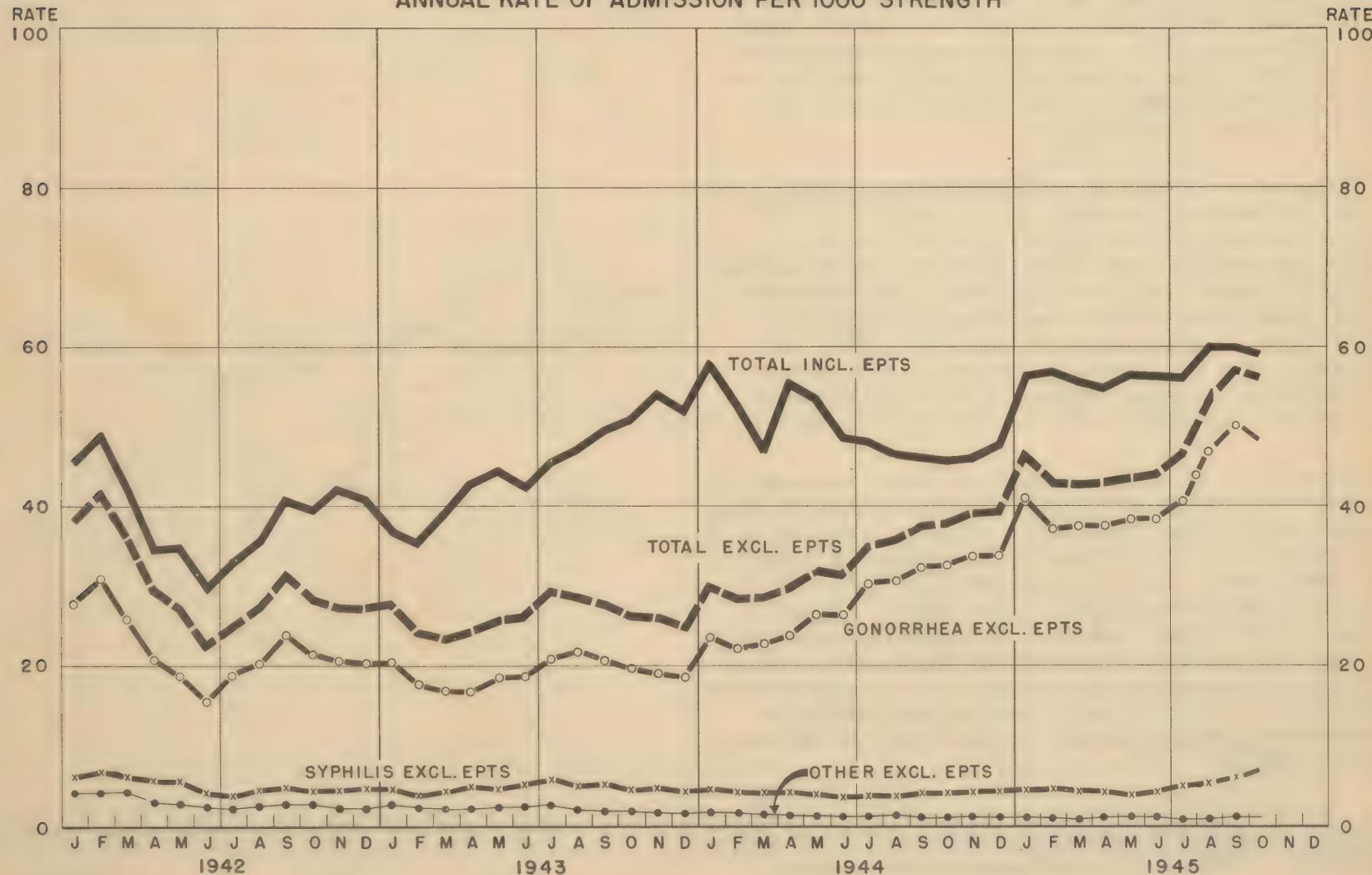
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# MORBIDITY FROM VENEREAL DISEASES

## TOTAL ARMY

CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES

ANNUAL RATE OF ADMISSION PER 1000 STRENGTH



## ANALYSIS OF VENEREAL DISEASE DATA

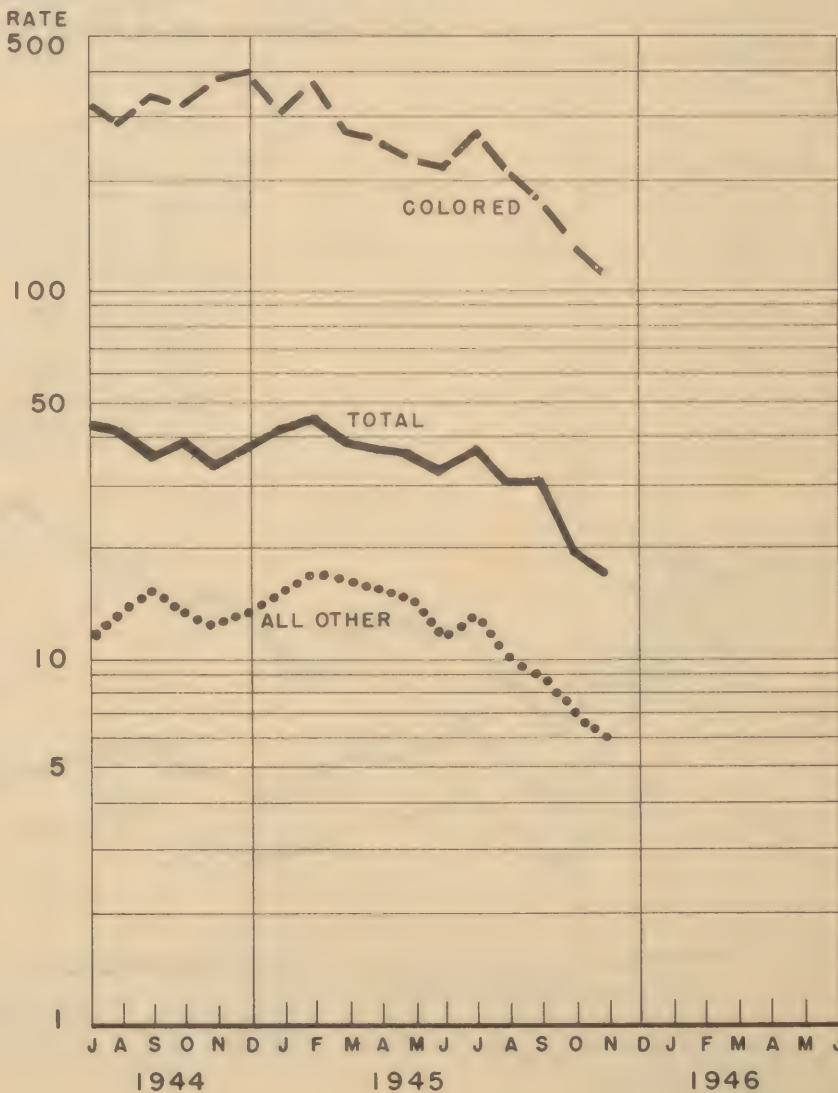
This report, covering the four-week period ended 26 October 1945, presents an analysis of incidence of the venereal diseases among colored males and all other personnel for all units in the continental United States which submit Statistical Health Reports (WD AGO Forms 8-122). Data are shown for individual stations where the colored male strength was 1000 or more; for other units in each service command the data are shown in total only.

The chart on the opposite page shows admissions for venereal diseases in the Army as a whole during the war period. It will be noted that slight decreases in the total rates and the "excluding EPTS" rates took place in October, but that morbidity from these causes remained at levels well above those experienced since December, 1941. The admission rate for syphilis, excluding EPTS cases, increased to 7 during October, from 6 per thousand reported in September and 5 per thousand in August.

The ratio of Army inductees having a venereal disease to the number of inductees brought into the Army in each month since June 1944, is shown graphically on this page. It will be seen that although this ratio has been growing smaller since February 1945, it has decreased much more rapidly since August. Since no change in the Army's policies of accepting those suffering from venereal diseases has taken place during the period covered by this chart, it is suggested that the increasing proportion of men in the lower age groups among Army inductees accounts for the decrease in this ratio.

Charts on pages 23 and 24 show morbidity from the venereal diseases among colored males and other Army personnel. Admission rates for venereal diseases

VENEREAL DISEASES AMONG INDUCTEES  
"EPTS" CASES PER 1000 INDUCTEES

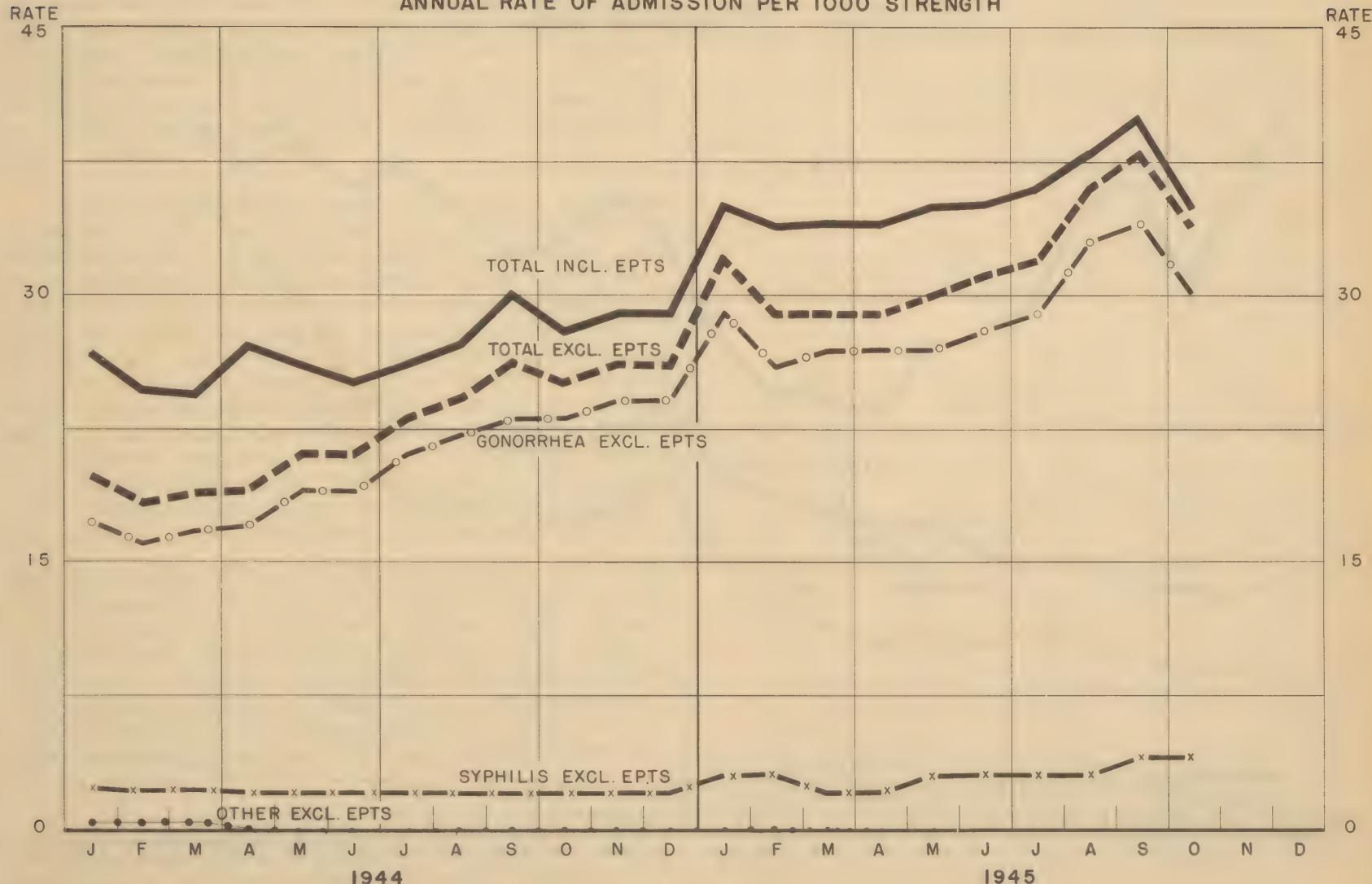


# MORBIDITY FROM VENEREAL DISEASES

## ALL OTHER PERSONNEL THAN COLORED MALES

CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES

ANNUAL RATE OF ADMISSION PER 1000 STRENGTH

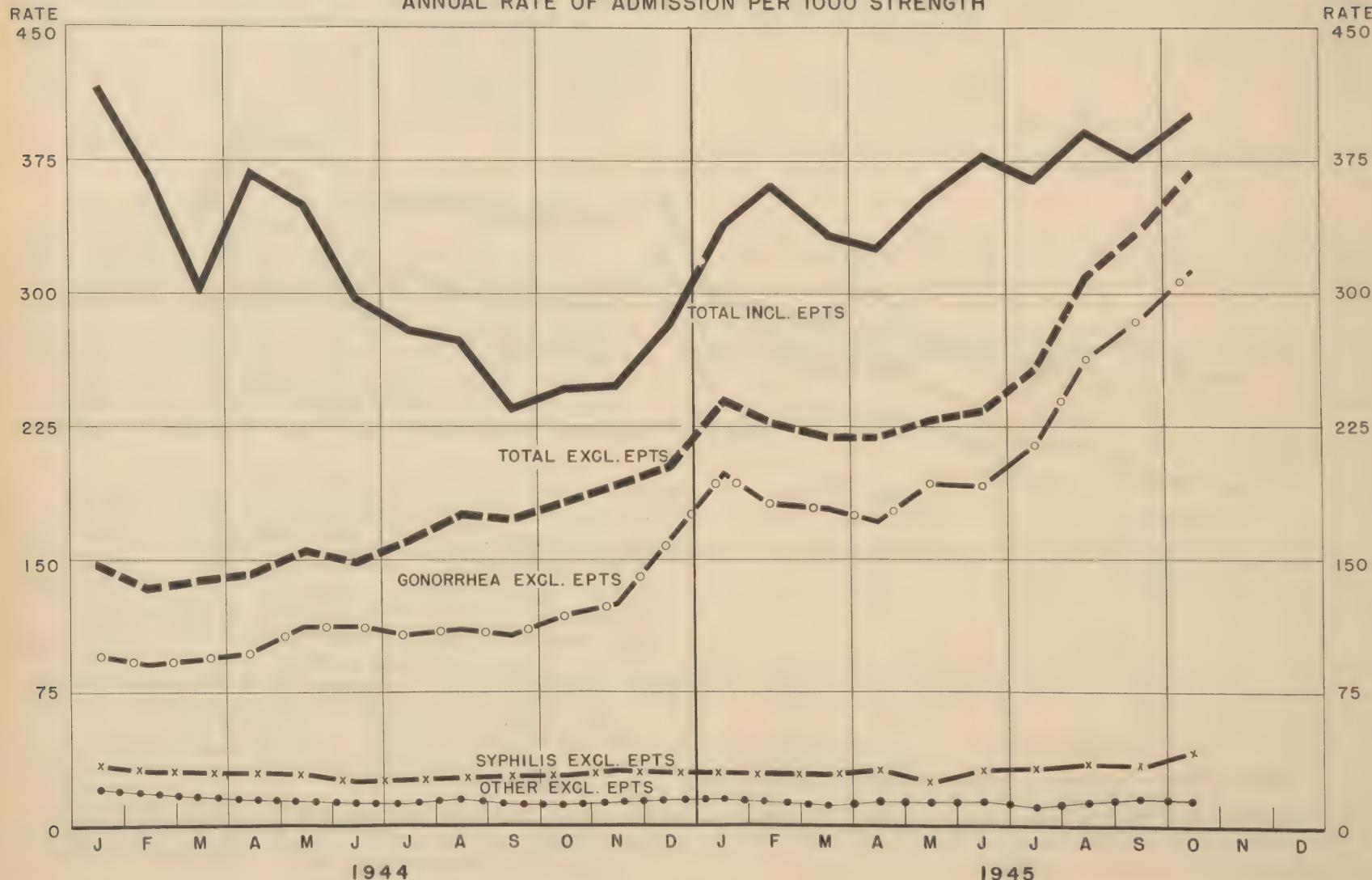


# MORBIDITY FROM VENEREAL DISEASES

## COLORED MALES

CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES

ANNUAL RATE OF ADMISSION PER 1000 STRENGTH



## ANALYSIS OF VENEREAL DISEASE DATA

acquired in the Army among colored males continue to increase both for gonorrhea and syphilis, although rates for other venereal diseases show a slight decrease in October. Among other personnel, however, the incidence of gonorrhea dropped from the rate of 34 per thousand troops per annum reported in September to 30 in October, while the rate for syphilis continued at 4 per thousand.

Rates for gonorrhea among colored male personnel increased in all service commands except the Military District of Washington, while syphilis rates for this group decreased only in the First, Eighth and Ninth Service Commands. (Rates reported from the MDW are based on 3 cases in each of the months under consideration.) Among personnel other than colored males, gonorrhea admission rates decreased in all service commands except the Third, where the rate increased (by 8 percent) to reach 39 per thousand in October. Highest Morbidity was reported from the Fifth Service Command, where the rate was 42 per thousand, while lowest rates of incidence (18 and 14 per thousand, respectively) were noted in the First Service Command and the MDW.

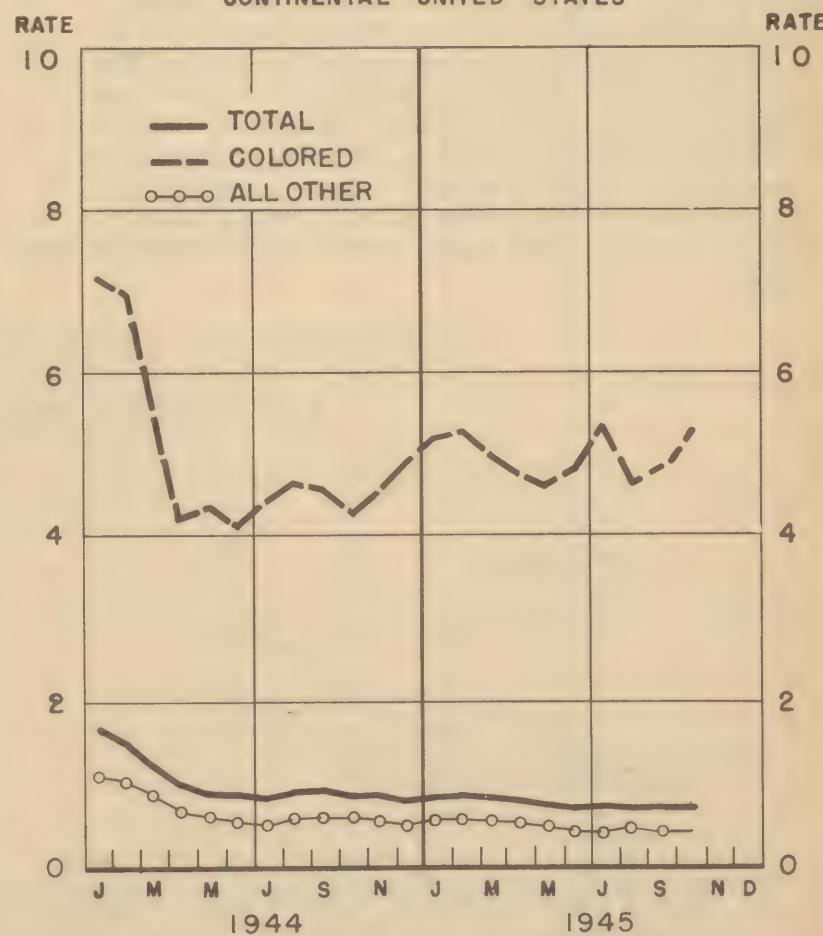
The number of noneffectives suffering from venereal diseases in the Army as a whole rose to .75 per thousand troops per day during October (from .70 in September and .66 in August); among colored troops, 5.30 in each thousand were excused from duty because of venereal diseases in October (4.86 in September, 4.68 in August), while the noneffective rate for other personnel increased from .43 in September to .44 in October.

Preliminary tabulations based on WD AGO Form 8-122 from large stations indicate that approximately one-third of reported venereal disease admissions

## NONEFFECTIVENESS

## DUE TO VENEREAL DISEASE

MEAN DAILY NONEFFECTIVE RATE PER 1000  
CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES



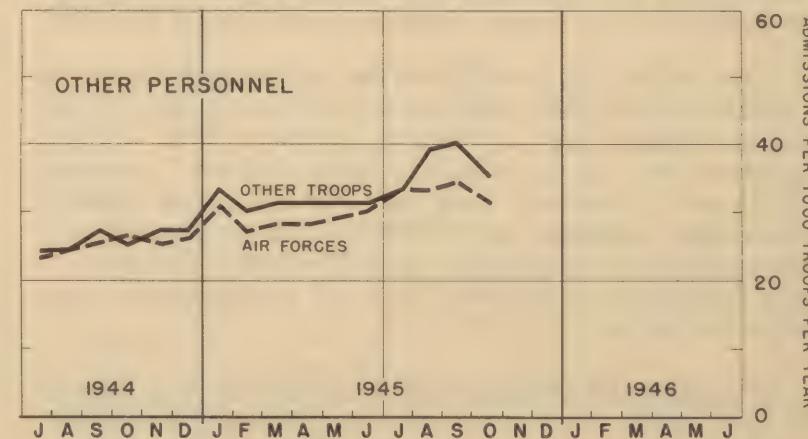
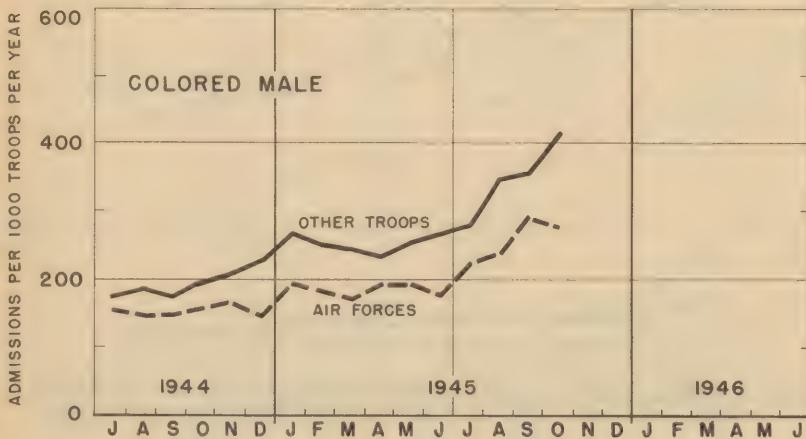
## ANALYSIS OF VENEREAL DISEASE DATA (CONT'D)

during October were excused from duty, the remainder having been treated on a "duty status."

The charts below show the differences between venereal disease (non-EPTS) morbidity rates reported by the Army Air Forces and those for other Army troops. It will be observed that, among colored male personnel, Air Forces troops have developed much lower incidence rates during the entire period covered by the chart. It has been suggested that this consistent difference may be due to Army assignment policies, which for some time operated to build up a much larger proportion of colored males of superior educational attainment in the Air Forces than among Ground and Service Forces troops.

Troops other than colored males in the Air Forces, also, have developed admission rates lower than those reported for Ground and Service Forces personnel. Factors to be considered in evaluating this difference, as in evaluating that between the two groups of colored male troops, include the larger proportion of officers to total troops in the Air Forces, War Department assignment policies early in the war, and the fact that the proportion of Air Force cases which is treated and reported by ASF dispensaries and hospitals is probably significantly larger than that proportion of cases among other troops which is treated and reported by Air Force medical department activities.

### VENEREAL DISEASE ("NEW", NOT EPTS) AIR FORCES AND OTHER TROOPS



VENEREAL DISEASE NON-EFFECTIVE RATES AND DAYS LOST ON ACCOUNT OF VENEREAL DISEASES  
TOTAL ARMY IN CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES

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SERVICE COMMAND	1945						MONTH*					1945		
	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH <sup>‡</sup>	APRIL	MAY	JUNE <sup>‡</sup>	JULY	AUGUST <sup>‡</sup>	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER <sup>‡</sup>	DECEMBER		
NON-EFFECTIVE RATE PER 1000 STRENGTH														
TOTAL UNITED STATES	.82	.83	.80	.76	.70	.68	.67	.66	.70	.75				
FIRST SERVICE COMMAND	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.3				
SECOND SERVICE COMMAND	1.0	.9	.7	.8	.6	.5	.5	.6	.7	.8				
THIRD SERVICE COMMAND	1.8	1.6	1.2	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	.9	1.2	1.2				
MIL.DIST.OF WASHINGTON	.9	.6	.6	.6	.8	.8	.6	.7	.7	.7				
FOURTH SERVICE COMMAND	.7	.8	.8	.8	.8	.8	.7	.6	.7	.8				
FIFTH SERVICE COMMAND	1.0	1.0	1.0	.9	1.0	.8	.9	.7	.8	.7				
SIXTH SERVICE COMMAND	.8	.8	.6	.8	.7	.5	.5	.6	.6	.5				
SEVENTH SERVICE COMMAND	.4	.3	.3	.3	.3	.4	.5	.6	.6	.7				
EIGHTH SERVICE COMMAND	.8	.9	.9	.8	.6	.6	.7	.7	.7	.6				
NINTH SERVICE COMMAND	.6	.7	.7	.7	.6	.6	.6	.6	.6	.8				
NUMBER OF DAYS LOST														
TOTAL UNITED STATES	69621	67544	78652	59933	55977	69934	60073	80908	70007	69447				
FIRST SERVICE COMMAND	3342	3201	3655	2737	2864	3963	3134	3927	3572	4132				
SECOND SERVICE COMMAND	5281	4836	4490	3722	3069	3642	3170	4888	4866	5068				
THIRD SERVICE COMMAND	9032	7889	7833	5687	5532	6813	6015	7550	7416	7850				
MIL.DIST.OF WASHINGTON	1273	931	1020	812	1161	1409	908	1354	1264	1166				
FOURTH SERVICE COMMAND	15597	15579	19561	16001	15063	19069	14692	17809	15316	15436				
FIFTH SERVICE COMMAND	3716	3720	4710	3753	3890	4020	4529	5029	4210	4127				
SIXTH SERVICE COMMAND	2245	2243	2201	2302	2273	2317	2260	4021	3195	2939				
SEVENTH SERVICE COMMAND	2781	2258	2926	2043	2250	4259	4027	7354	6483	6390				
EIGHTH SERVICE COMMAND	17252	17513	21744	14202	11872	13814	12152	17340	13579	10138				
NINTH SERVICE COMMAND	9102	9374	10512	8674	8003	10628	9186	11636	10106	12201				

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VENEREAL DISEASE NON-EFFECTIVE RATES AND DAYS LOST ON ACCOUNT OF VENEREAL DISEASES  
COLORED MALES IN ARMY IN CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES

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SERVICE COMMAND	1945						MONTH*				1945			
	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH <sup>‡</sup>	APRIL	MAY	JUNE <sup>‡</sup>	JULY	AUGUST <sup>‡</sup>	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER <sup>‡</sup>	DECEMBER		
NON-EFFECTIVE RATE PER 1000 STRENGTH														
TOTAL UNITED STATES	5.14	5.20	4.98	4.71	4.56	4.74	5.03	4.68	4.86	5.30				
FIRST SERVICE COMMAND	5.6	5.9	5.9	5.7	6.5	8.1	7.5	8.5	12.7	13.8				
SECOND SERVICE COMMAND	6.6	6.0	5.0	5.4	4.3	3.8	3.4	5.0	5.8	5.4				
THIRD SERVICE COMMAND	9.3	9.2	6.5	5.1	5.1	5.2	6.0	5.5	7.7	7.6				
MIL.DIST.OF WASHINGTON	11.6	9.2	8.5	9.6	12.5	14.3	10.4	13.1	7.1	5.7				
FOURTH SERVICE COMMAND	4.5	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.6	5.5	5.6	4.8	4.8	6.1				
FIFTH SERVICE COMMAND	4.7	4.1	5.0	3.6	5.3	4.9	6.4	5.3	4.0	5.9				
SIXTH SERVICE COMMAND	9.8	15.6	10.4	12.4	10.0	6.9	7.3	7.0	3.8	5.2				
SEVENTH SERVICE COMMAND	2.6	2.0	2.0	1.4	1.5	1.2	2.2	3.2	3.4	4.2				
EIGHTH SERVICE COMMAND	5.5	6.4	7.1	6.3	5.8	5.3	6.7	5.8	4.4	2.7				
NINTH SERVICE COMMAND	3.0	2.6	3.3	3.5	3.2	3.6	3.5	2.8	3.8	5.4				
NUMBER OF DAYS LOST														
TOTAL UNITED STATES	30293	29431	33869	25615	24497	31769	26990	33607	30359	31876				
FIRST SERVICE COMMAND	1958	1882	1900	1365	1374	1698	1203	1551	1664	1788				
SECOND SERVICE COMMAND	2889	3068	2668	2237	1785	1885	1256	2376	2260	2044				
THIRD SERVICE COMMAND	5812	5344	4889	3155	3205	3800	3413	3893	4521	4435				
MIL.DIST.OF WASHINGTON	502	395	437	363	447	648	372	585	594	508				
FOURTH SERVICE COMMAND	7160	7788	9472	7675	7370	10634	7907	8958	7477	9048				
FIFTH SERVICE COMMAND	1239	925	1251	698	1071	1266	1367	1413	896	1391				
SIXTH SERVICE COMMAND	580	914	834	952	847	817	784	1133	613	741				
SEVENTH SERVICE COMMAND	1076	809	1149	713	767	788	1339	2671	2535	2862				
EIGHTH SERVICE COMMAND	5978	5955	7635	5466	5021	5871	5750	7019	5691	3460				
NINTH SERVICE COMMAND	3099	2351	3634	2991	2610	4362	3599	4008	4108	5599				

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## VENEREAL DISEASE NON-EFFECTIVE RATES AND DAYS LOST ON ACCOUNT OF VENEREAL DISEASES

ARMY EXCLUSIVE OF COLORED MALES, CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES

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SERVICE COMMAND	1945						MONTH*				1945			
	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH #	APRIL	MAY	JUNE #	JULY	AUGUST #	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER #	DECEMBER		
NON-EFFECTIVE RATE PER 1000 STRENGTH														
TOTAL UNITED STATES	.50	.51	.49	.47	.42	.39	.39	.41	.43	.44				
FIRST SERVICE COMMAND	.7	.7	.7	.7	.7	.8	.7	.7	.6	.8				
SECOND SERVICE COMMAND	.5	.4	.3	.3	.3	.3	.3	.3	.4	.5				
THIRD SERVICE COMMAND	.7	.6	.5	.5	.5	.5	.5	.5	.5	.6				
MIL.DIST.OF WASHINGTON	.5	.4	.3	.3	.5	.4	.4	.4	.4	.4				
FOURTH SERVICE COMMAND	.4	.4	.5	.5	.4	.4	.3	.3	.4	.3				
FIFTH SERVICE COMMAND	.7	.8	.8	.8	.7	.5	.7	.5	.6	.5				
SIXTH SERVICE COMMAND	.6	.5	.4	.5	.5	.3	.3	.5	.5	.4				
SEVENTH SERVICE COMMAND	.2	.2	.2	.2	.2	.4	.3	.4	.4	.4				
EIGHTH SERVICE COMMAND	.6	.6	.6	.5	.4	.4	.4	.4	.4	.4				
NINTH SERVICE COMMAND	.5	.6	.5	.5	.4	.4	.4	.4	.4	.4				
NUMBER OF DAYS LOST														
TOTAL UNITED STATES	39328	38113	44783	34361	31480	38165	33083	47301	39648	37571				
FIRST SERVICE COMMAND	1384	1319	1755	1372	1490	2265	1931	2376	1908	2344				
SECOND SERVICE COMMAND	2392	1768	1822	1485	1284	1757	1914	2512	2606	3024				
THIRD SERVICE COMMAND	3220	2545	2944	2532	2327	3013	2602	3657	2895	3415				
MIL.DIST.OF WASHINGTON	771	536	583	449	714	761	536	769	670	658				
FOURTH SERVICE COMMAND	8437	7791	10089	8369	7693	8435	6785	8851	7839	6388				
FIFTH SERVICE COMMAND	2477	2795	3459	3055	2819	2754	3162	3616	3314	2736				
SIXTH SERVICE COMMAND	1665	1329	1367	1350	1426	1500	1476	2888	2582	2198				
SEVENTH SERVICE COMMAND	1705	1449	1777	1330	1483	3471	2688	4683	3948	3528				
EIGHTH SERVICE COMMAND	11274	11558	14109	8736	6851	7943	6402	10321	7888	6678				
NINTH SERVICE COMMAND	6003	7023	6878	5683	5393	6266	5587	7628	5998	6602				

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# VENEREAL DISEASE ADMISSION RATES<sup>+</sup>

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FOR THE 4 WEEK PERIOD ENDING 26 October 1945

SERVICE COMMAND AND STATION	EXCLUDING EPTS CASES*												TOTAL EPTS CASES	EXCLUDING EPTS CASES*												TOTAL EPTS CASES											
	SYPHILIS			GONORRHEA			OTHER			TOTAL				SYPHILIS			GONORRHEA			OTHER			TOTAL														
	TOTAL ARMY	COLORED MALE	ALL OTHER	TOTAL ARMY	COLORED MALE	ALL OTHER	TOTAL ARMY	COLORED MALE	ALL OTHER	TOTAL ARMY	COLORED MALE	ALL OTHER		TOTAL ARMY	COLORED MALE	ALL OTHER	TOTAL ARMY	COLORED MALE	ALL OTHER	TOTAL ARMY	COLORED MALE	ALL OTHER	TOTAL ARMY	COLORED MALE	ALL OTHER												
TOTAL UNITED STATES	7	41	4	48	312	30	1	14	0	56	367	34	3	34	1	THIRD SERVICE COMD	13	57	9	71	394	39	2	12	1	86	463	49	8	67	2						
FIRST SERVICE COMMAND	7	45	6	25	206	18	1	8?	1	33	259	25	2	17	1	Aberdeen ProvGrd, Md	5	38	2?	32	124	23							37	162	25	2?	10?	1?			
Boston PoE, Mass	21	87	14	31	210	13	3?	7?	3?	55	304	30				George G Meade, Ft, Md	12	163	8	95	1530	54	2	86					109	1779	62	29	851	5			
Devens, Ft, Mass	2	26?	1?	19	364	12				21	390	13	1?	13?	1?	Hampton Rds PoE, Va				102	346	3?						102	346	3?							
Stations under 1000 Colored Strength	7	14?	7	30	114	26	1?	14?	1?	38	142	34	4	96	3	Lee, Cp, Va	9	21	3	96	229	25	2	7					107	257	28						
SECOND SERVICE COMMAND	11	62	7	39	295	23	2	15	1	52	372	31	2	22	1	Stations under 1000 Colored Strength	16	169	11	58	643	39	2	13?	2	76	825	52	3	60	1						
Dix, Ft, N J	4	24	3	25	231	14	1?	3?	1?	30	258	18	4	56	1	Belvoir, Ft, Va	2?	6?	2?	39	209	22							41	215	24	1?	1?				
Kilmer, Cp, N J	49	95	42	45	189	21	1?		1?	95	284	64				Stations under 1000 Colored Strength	2?	30?	1?	21	507	9							23	537	10	1?	1?				
New York PoE, N Y				64	294	25				64	294	25																									
Stations under 1000 Colored Strength	11	91	7	46	391	29	3	35	1	60	517	37	1	9?	0?	FOURTH SERVICE COMD	8	57	4	59	406	31	2	25	1	69	488	35	4	48	1						
																Benning, Ft, Ga	11	42	5	44	121	30	4	22	1?	59	185	36	43	273	1?						
																Hilding, Cp, Fla	5	50	2	24	193	15							29	243	17	9	131	2			
																Bragg, Ft, N C	13	94	5	89	565	41	4	36	1?	106	695	47	8	84	1?						
																Drew Field, Fla	3	47	2?	33	374	21	0?	12?		36	433	23									
																Gordon Johnston, Cp, Fla	8	44?	2?	8	18?	7?							16	62	9						

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	SYPHILIS			GONORRHEA		OTHER		TOTAL			SYPHILIS			GONORRHEA		OTHER		TOTAL			
	TOTAL ARMY	COLORED MALE	ALL OTHER	TOTAL ARMY	COLORED MALE	ALL OTHER	TOTAL ARMY	COLORED MALE	ALL OTHER	TOTAL ARMY	COLORED MALE	ALL OTHER	TOTAL ARMY	COLORED MALE	ALL OTHER	TOTAL ARMY	COLORED MALE	ALL OTHER			
FOURTH SVC (CONTD)																					
Jackson, Ft, S C	6	28	3	164	1315	49	10	85	27	180	1428	54									
MacDill Field, Fla	8	22	27	127	336	33	37	97		138	367	35									
McClellan Field, Ala	7	17	3	66	184	23	4	14		77	215	26	2?	1?	2?	Crowder, Cp, Mo	4	17	2		
McPherson, Ft, Ga	23	157	11	111	835	47	5	54	1?	139	1046	59	0?			Francis E Warren, Ft Wyo	14	22	7?		
Shelby, Cp, Miss	16	307	5	74	1255	30	6	137	1?	96	1699	36	1?	9?	1?	Leonard Wood, Ft, Mo	8	22	4		
Tuskegee, Ala	15?	15?		73	71	130?				88	86	130?				Stations under 1000 Colored Strength	5	49	3		
Stations under 1000 Colored Strength	6	59	3	50	470	31	1	19	1	57	548	35	1	7	1						
FIFTH SERVICE COMMAND	8	56	6	53	308	42	1	9	0	62	373	48	11	119	6						
Knox, Ft, Ky	6	24	5	51	237	32	2	20?	0?	59	281	37	2?			Chaffee, Cp, Ark	9	17?	9		
Stations under 1000 Colored Strength	8	77	6	53	353	43	1	37	0	62	433	49	13	195	7	Claiborne, Cp, La	5	9	3?		
SIXTH SERVICE COMMAND	5	60	4	48	352	40	1	5?	1	54	417	45	2	31	1?	Gruber, Cp, Okla	2?	9?	1?		
Grant, Cp, Ill	4	13?	3	26	81	21	1?	4	0?	31	98	24	1?	4?	0?	Tinker Field, Okla	5?	21	146		
Stations under 1000 Colored Strength	5	132	4	53	771	44	1	7?	1	59	910	49	2	73	1	Stations under 1000 Colored Strength	4	50	3		

## **VENEREAL DISEASE ADMISSION RATES**

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SERVICE COMMAND AND STATION	EXCLUDING EPTS CASES*								TOTAL EPTS CASES	SERVICE COMMAND AND STATION	EXCLUDING EPTS CASES*								TOTAL EPTS CASES			
	SYPHILIS		GONORRHEA		OTHER		TOTAL				SYPHILIS		GONORRHEA		OTHER		TOTAL					
	TOTAL ARMY	COLORED MALE	TOTAL ARMY	COLORED MALE	TOTAL ARMY	COLORED MALE	TOTAL ARMY	COLORED MALE			TOTAL ARMY	COLORED MALE	TOTAL ARMY	COLORED MALE	TOTAL ARMY	COLORED MALE	TOTAL ARMY	COLORED MALE				
	TOTAL	MALE	TOTAL	MALE	TOTAL	MALE	TOTAL	MALE			TOTAL	MALE	TOTAL	MALE	TOTAL	MALE	TOTAL	MALE				
	ARMY	COLORED	ARMY	COLORED	ARMY	COLORED	ARMY	COLORED			ARMY	COLORED	ARMY	COLORED	ARMY	COLORED	ARMY	COLORED				
NINTH SERVICE COMMAND	5	27	4	35	231	21	1	7	0	41	265	25	2	10	1							
Beale, Cp, Calif Wash	6	20	4	82	613	19	1?	7?	89	640	23	10	30	8								
George Jordan, Cp, Calif	12?	17?		174	191	132	18?	25?	204	233	132											
John T Knight, Cp,	15?	26?		127	201	28?	6?	11?	148	238	28?											
Kearns, Utah	3?	12?	3?	70	485	36			73	497	39											
Lewis, Ft, Wash	8	25	4	44	151	19	1?	5?	53	181	23	1?	2?									
Los Angeles PoE, Calif	8	24	5?	41	114	27			49	138	32	1?	8?									
Ord, Ft, Calif	5	73	3	46	415	35	2	31	1?	53	519	39	1?	10?	1?							
Stoneman, Cp, Calif	5	36	1?	36	282	5			41	318	6											
Stations under 1000 Colored Strength	5	28	4	25	156	20	1	5	0	31	189	24	1	15	1							

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